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In Re Application of : September 23, 2002
M.E. SIKSA, ET AL : Group Art No.: 2151
Serial No. 09/119,427 : Examiner: C.E. Anya
Filed: July 20, 1998 : for IBM Corporation
Anne Vachon Dougherty
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR 3173 Cedar Road
PROVIDING GRAPHICAL USER Yorktown Heights, NY 10598
INTERFACE CONTROL ENHANCERS

AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents

Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Office
Action dated May 23, 2002 for the above-identified patent
application. A Petition for Extension of Time for a period of
one month, along with the requisite fee, accompany this
amendment. The period for response, which was set to expire on
August 23, 2002, will now expire on September 23, 2002.

In response to the Office Action, the Applicants wish to
submit the following amendments and remarks. In the Claims, add
Claim 28 and amend Claims 1-15, 17-25 as set forth on the
following pages.

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